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> S/TR Comments on ACS/Intelligence, USAF Contribution to NIE 13-58 "Communist Chine"

- S/TR was remortly asked to review the contributions to HE 13-55 on Communist China prepared by the Department of the Army, the Department of the Navy, and the Department of the Air Force.
- The Any centribution does not cover economic intelligence. It is encouraging that the Aray new agreers to regard transportation as a purt of the economic function and has not submitted a contribution in this field. Bayy contribution contains no factual errors in either the shipping or part freilities sections, the only sections of the contribution within our field of responsibility. The Air Perce contribution although much briter than in previous years, severtheless, contains errors of both fact and interpretation, which are discussed in detail in the attackment to this sens. Understanding of the comments will be emissioned if they are read in confunction with the Air Porce contribution.

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